Having moved to Braunston in March 2016, I already know that I want to do my very best to keep this hidden gem of a village as special and beautiful as it is today.

Until now, I've never been lucky enough to live in a village where I feel as safe as I do here in Braunston. I don't even need to think twice if Dave the Dog fancies a late evening stroll, which is a luxury that other villages and towns don't offer. I feel that it's important to keep that sense of safety for all of our residents, which can only be done through the continued work of the Parish Council and the community that I already feel so welcomed into.

One of my favorite things about Braunston are the dogs here. Every dog is happy and friendly, and every owner is always willing for a chat! It's fair to say that we are a village of dog lovers and I'd love to keep that going by doing more to encourage doggie socials, a walk share scheme for those residents who may be unable to walk their own doggies for long distances, and to continue to promote responsible dog ownership.

Braunston is a beautiful village, which is well maintained at all levels from the stunning Church to individual properties, with the BVGA Gardens Competition adding a bit of competitive spice to the front lawns of the village. I love to sniff out a great deal and I am keen to use this skill to help the Parish really maximise its budget to make sure that we always get the best value for money that we can so that we can continue to keep Braunston well maintained and looking beautiful.

## So if....

- Community spirit and safety
- Happy doggies and cheerful owners
- Making the most of the budget to keep Braunston beautiful are important to you then...

## ...vote for Gemma Adams on May 5<sup>th</sup>